Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the Senate returned the bill entifled, an act for the relief of Zachariah Sunderland, of Calvert county:

Endorsed "will pass, with the proposed amendment," which amendment was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the

table.

And, delivered the following bills originated in and passed by the Senate, viz;

A bill entitled, an act for the protection of the public buildings

in Allegany county;

Which was read and referred to the Allegany county delega-

A bill entitled, an act to condemn certain real estate of Cornelius Howard, deceased, as public alley's in the city of Baltimore; Which was read and referred to the Baltimore city delegation.

A bill entitled, a supplement to an act passed at December session 1840, entitled, an act to limit the number of justices of the peace appointed in and for Cecil county;

Which was read and referred to the Cecil county delegation.

A bill entitled, an act for the benefit of the representatives of

Adam Peddicord:

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

A bill entitled, an act to authorise and empower the county courts of this State, to extend the time of sheriffs and collectors of the county and State taxes to complete their collections;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and

Means.

A bill entitled, an act to authorise the measuring of cord wood at Jeffersonville and Principio Furnace, or within one mile of either place in Cecil county;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Inspec-

tions.

A bill entitled, an act supplementary to an act entitled, an act to incorporate the "Pipe Creek Benevolent Society," passed at December session 1843, chapter 192;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Corpora-

tions.

And delivered the following message:

By the Senate,

January 20th, 1845.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates:

We have received your message asking the return of the bill entitled, an act to reduce the per diem of the judges of elections in Frederick, Carroll and Anne Arundel counties, and herewith return the same.

By order,

Joseph H. Nicholson, Clk.

Which was read,